CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES OF

## ST ANN'S PARISH, WATROUS ST PIUS X PARISH, IMPERIAL ST PATRICK'S PARISH, YOUNG



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## WORLD MISSION SUNDAY Saturday, October 18 5:00 pm St Ann For the 9:00 am St Pius X **Parishioners** Sunday, October 19 11:00 am St Patrick Adoration of 9:00 am the Blessed Tuesday, October 21 St Ann Sacrament 9:30 am Mass Adoration of

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Friday, October 24

the Blessed

Sacrament

Mass

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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Saturday, October 25	5:00 pm	St Patrick	
Sunday, October 26	9:00 am	St Ann	For the Parishioners
	11:00 am	St Pius X	

St Ann



Parishes across the Roman Catholic Diocese of Saskatoon have launched the Bishop's Annual Appeal starting the weekend of Sept. 27-28, encouraging parishioners to support a range of vital ministries and programs in the diocese and beyond. This year's theme is "Pilgrims of Hope - Rooted in Prayer and Mission." Find this year's video, information, and/or online giving on the website: https://dscf.ca/baa/.



**Diocesan prayer:** On this World Mission Sunday, we pray for ministries related to mission supported by gifts to the Bishop's Annual Appeal — such as vocations; the formation and education of priests, religious and laity; and the ministry provided by the northern diocese of Keewatin-Le Pas. May we all be renewed in following Jesus as we hold in prayer the abundant ministries that respond to Christ's great commission to "Go, therefore, and make disciples."

"No Options, No Choice" - Writing the Government to Ask for More Resources for Palliative Care: World Hospice and Palliative Care Day was recently marked on Oct. 11 as a global call to ensure that every person can receive comfort, care, and dignity at the end of life. Here in Saskatchewan, the need for quality palliative care continues to grow far faster than the resources provided. When families cannot access support at home or in care facilities, their loved ones can feel abandoned or forced into choices they never wanted like medicallyprovided death (known as MAiD) Together, we can urge provincial leaders to strengthen palliative care. invest in home supports, and ensure that every person receives care that honours life at every stage. Take one minute to make a difference: visit the "No Options, No Choice" website to send your letter to the government: https://www.nooptionsnochoice.com/english/take-action -saskatchewan-consent. Your voice matters. Join in the stand for compassionate care in Saskatchewan.





Thrift on Main, Watrous, gratefully accepts donations Wednesday through Saturday, 10 am to 4 pm. Profits from this store are distributed throughout the communities,

including St Ann's.

Thrift on Main is looking for **volunteers**. Can you spare 4 hours once a month? Applications are available in the store.

Store shopping hours are Thursday through Saturday, 10 am to 4 pm. Come take a look—you might find something you have been looking for!

World Mission Sunday - Every year, the Church celebrates World Mission Sunday, which is marked this year on Sunday, Oct. 19 to remind us of the missionary dimension of our Christian vocation. The collection today will support the missionary movements which the Pontifical Mission Society (also known as "Missio" in some countries) coordinates. Pope Leo XIV chose the theme: "Missionaries of Hope Among All Peoples" which focuses on our responsibility to bring hope to everyone. He challenges us to prayer and community building as two effective means of sustaining hope in a world of despair. Bishop Hagemoen's Delegate for Missions, Fr. Joseph Salihu, also reminds us of our fundamental vocation as missionaries and shares a link to a two-minute video to encourage prayer and donations for the mission work coordinated by the Pontifical Mission Society: https:// www.youtube.com/watch?v=S5YQCdYu\_Dk. In offering our prayers, we join with missionaries everywhere in communion and compassion to support them in spreading the Good News, and by giving a donation we respond to Christ's call to share our faith in Jesus so that all may experience God's love.

**Are you new to our Parish?** Please put a note in the collection plate with your name and phone number.



## Would you like to e-transfer your weekly/monthly donation?

For St Ann's, please use the email address: sawatrous@rcdos.ca For St Pius X, please use the email address: sawatrous@rcdos.ca

For St Patrick, please contact Denise Dewey

Would you like to be added to the email list?

Mass Intentions are always welcome.

Contact us via email (sawatrous@rcdos.ca) or phone (306 946-7961).